

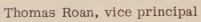
Highlighter
1968
Maxson Junior High School
Plainfield, New Jersey

The theme of this book is now. It's what's happening, the "in" trends. Our "highlight" on the cover is a magic lamp, with two genuine Maxson genies to tell it like it is.





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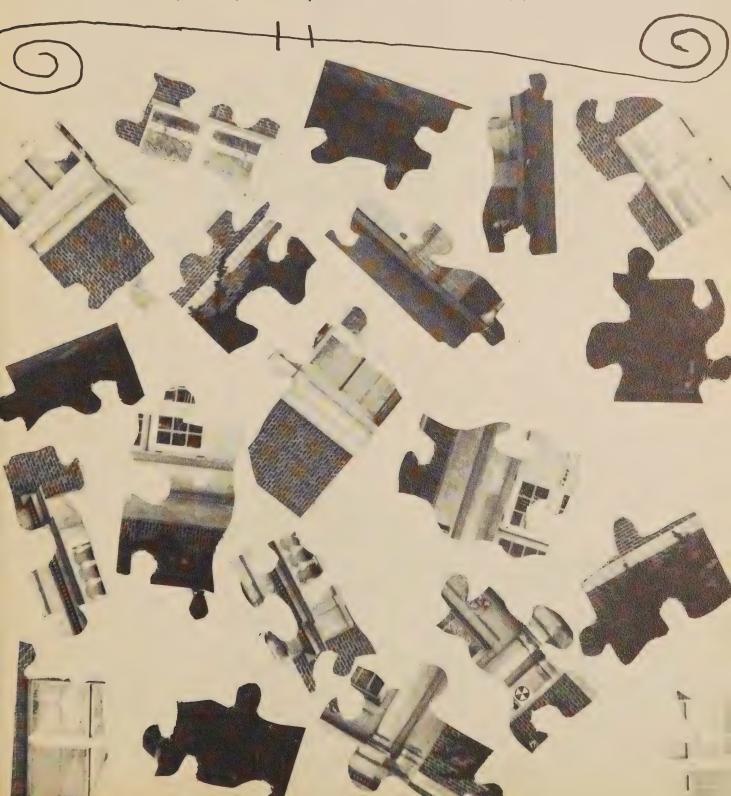


Secretarial Staff: standing, left, Mrs. J. Johnson; standing, right, Mrs. M. Golub; seated, Mrs. M. Sitko.

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OPGANIZATIONS





Fire Marshals

Office Helpers



Highlighter Staff



We made this book. We hope you find it interesting. See if you can find what the puzzle on page 9 is. The organizations pictured in this section help Maxson run more smoothly. The students give their time and talents so that our school can be a better "scene".



Audio-Visual Squad

Hall Patrol





Assembly Club

Library Staff





Chess Club



Maxsonian Staff



Student Government Association



Creative Writing Club

Homemaking Club

Spanish Club

Kitchen Kings



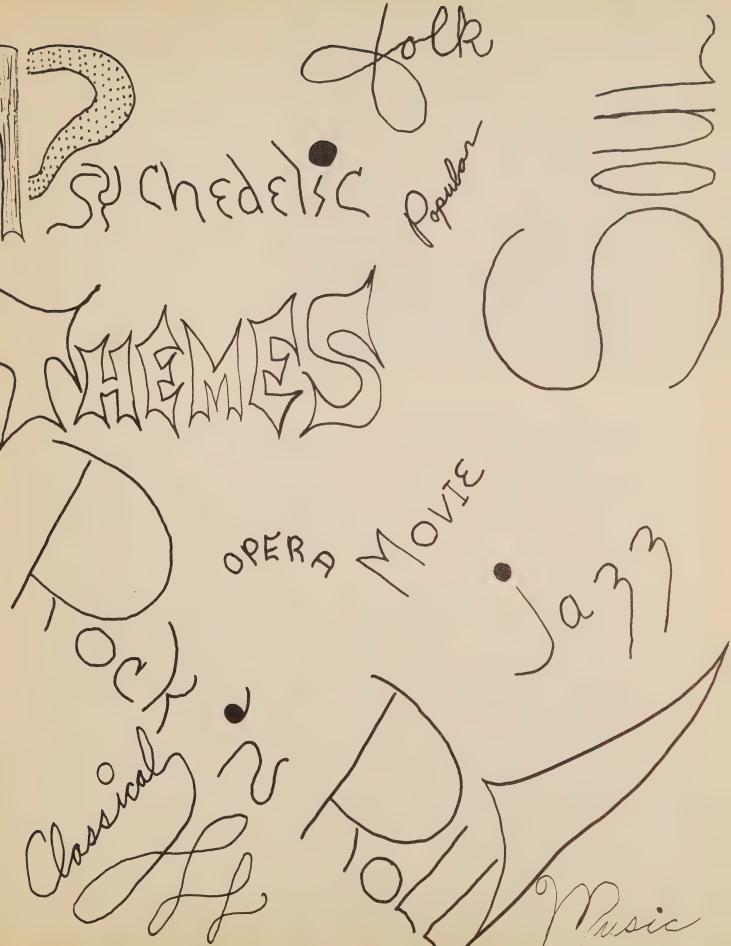
Red Cross Club



Future Nurses Club



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Flute Quartet

Percussion Ensemble





The Young Folk



Band

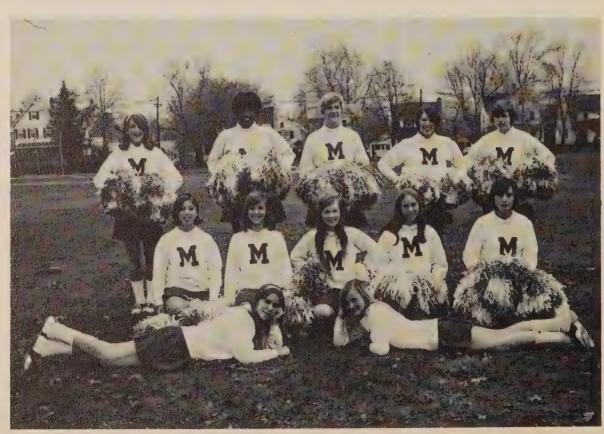


Chorus



An action shot of the basketball team, a bright picture of our cheerleaders, that's where it's at in sports.

To win is "in", and we had winning teams - even championship teams. Congratulations to the students and the coaches for a good year!





Varsity Soccer Team Varsity Wrestling Team





Swim 7eam

Varsity Basketball Team





Varsity Track Team

Varsity Baseball Team









Intramurals

At the left, the intramural football champions are pictured. On the right are the girls' soccer champions. These are only two sports enjoyed by students in homeroom competition. Each year, the homerooms which have earned the most points are given awards.

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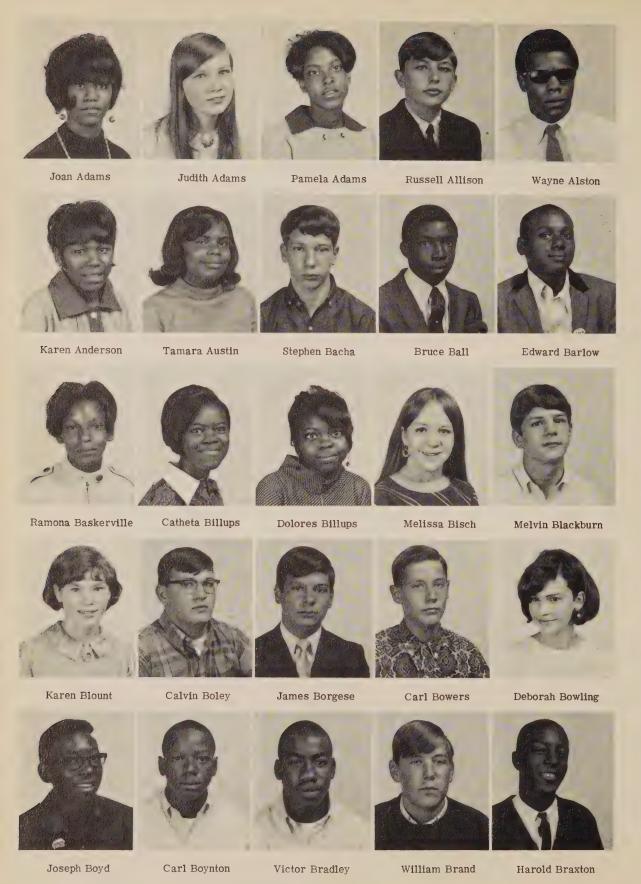


Girls' Athletic Leaders

Girls' Basketball 7eam











Melvin Brown



Sally Ann Brown



Joseph Carter



Jennifer Cerillo





Jessica Burke

















Philomena Cipriani

Vanessa Clarke



Pamela Coleman



Shirley Collins



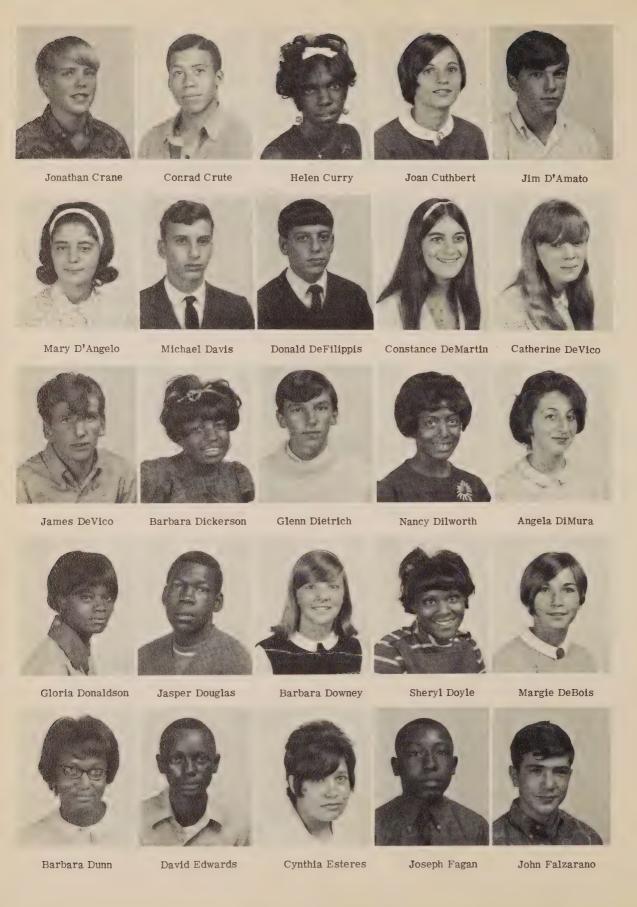
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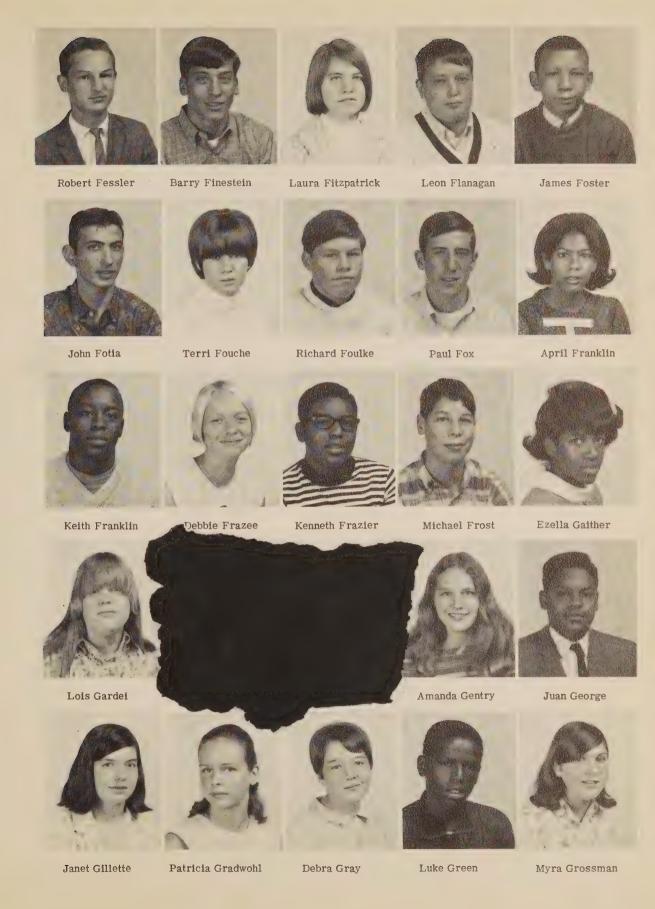
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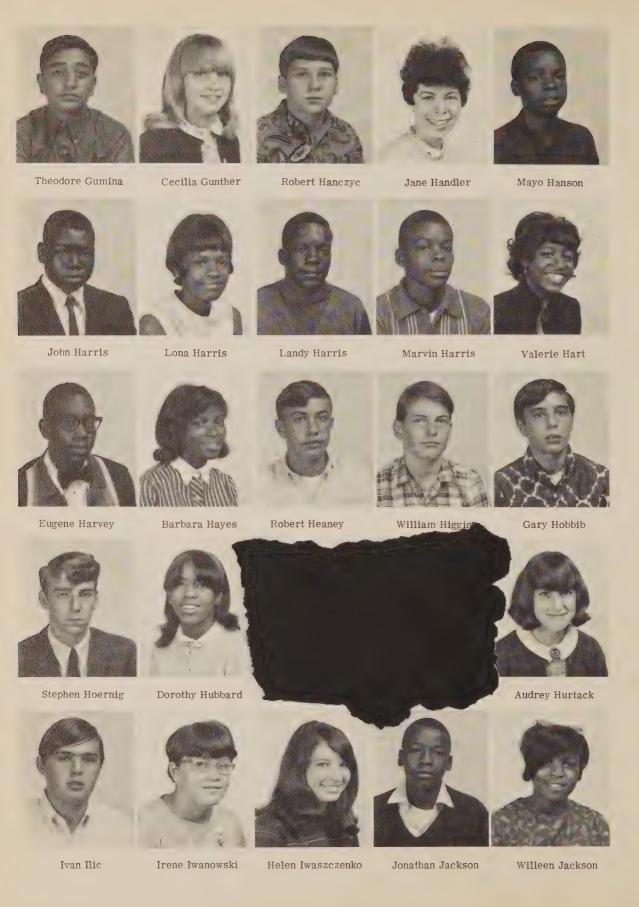
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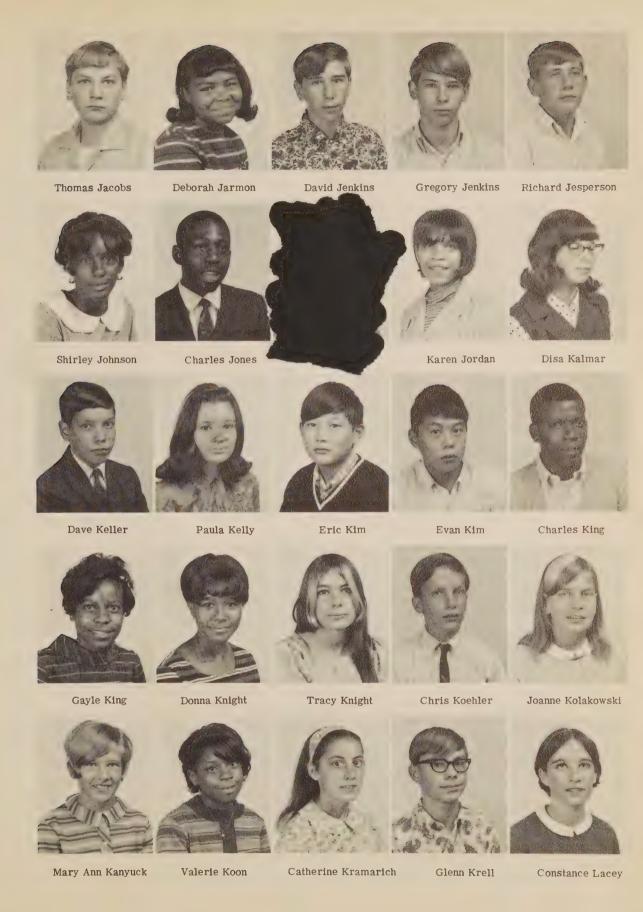
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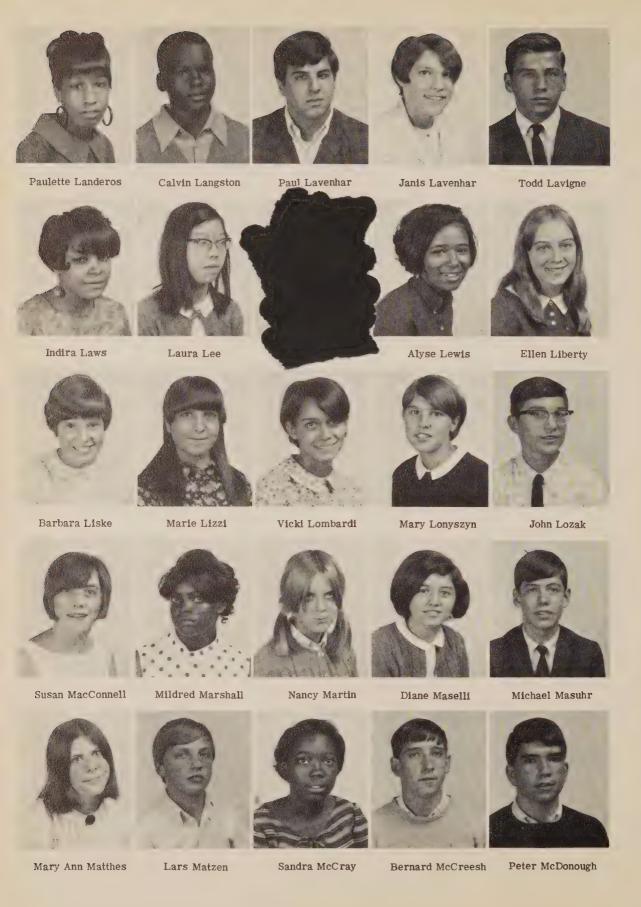
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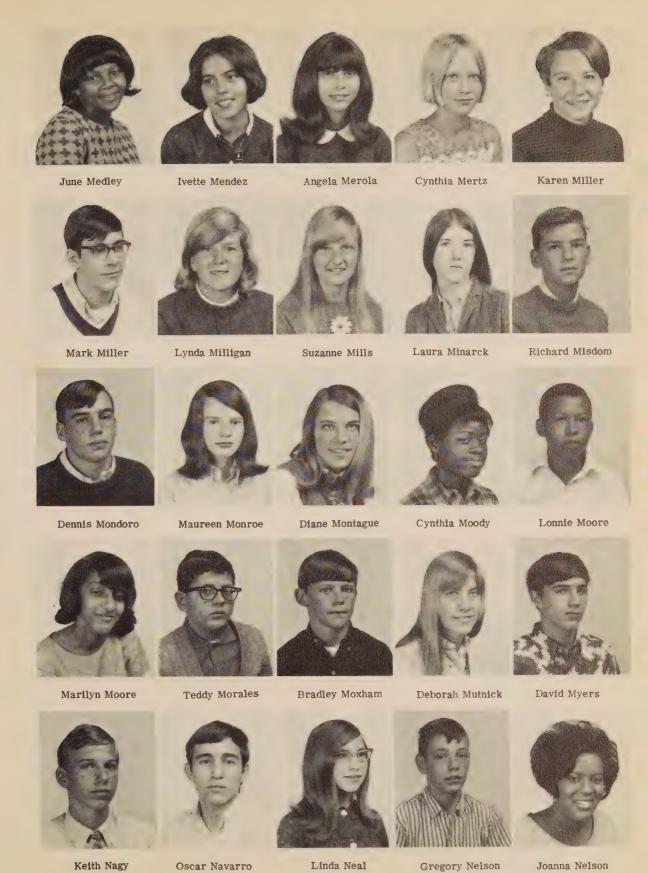


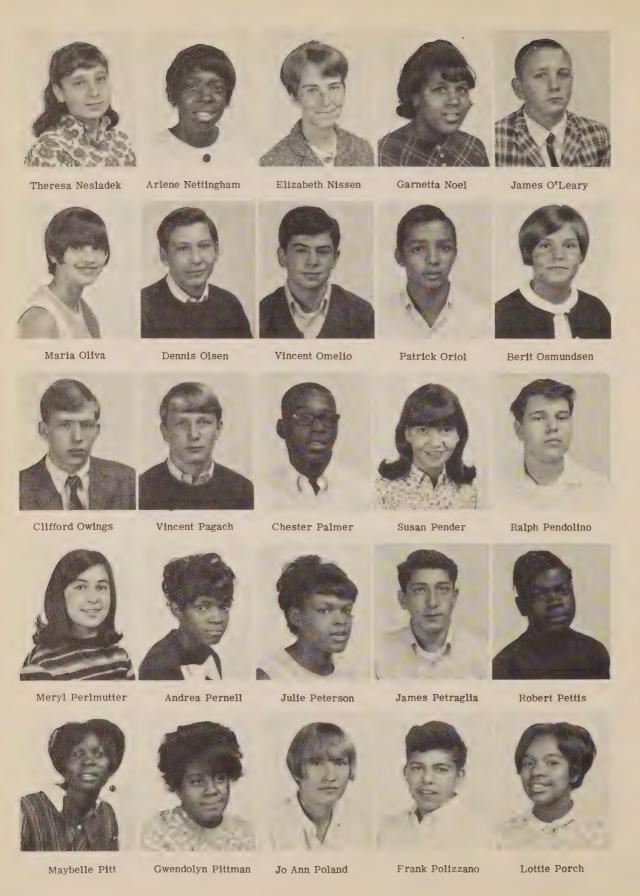


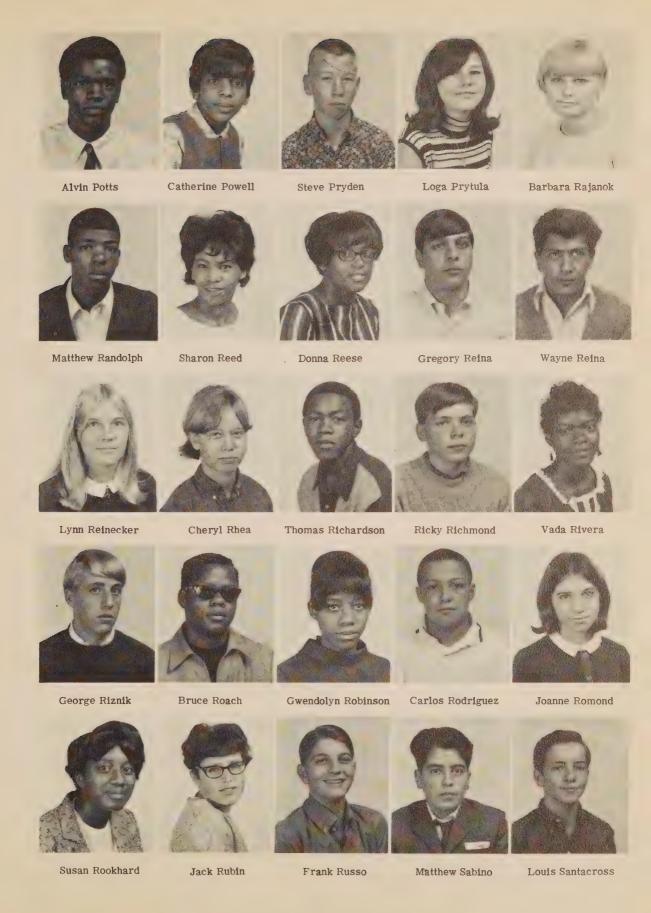


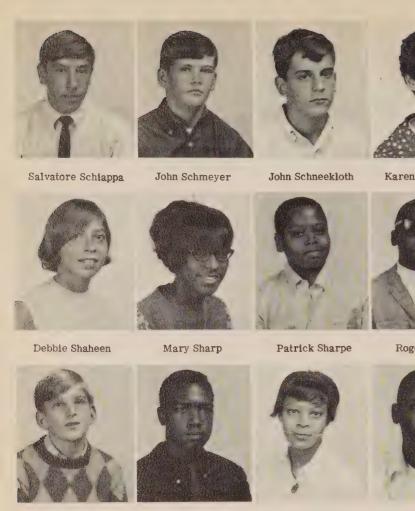


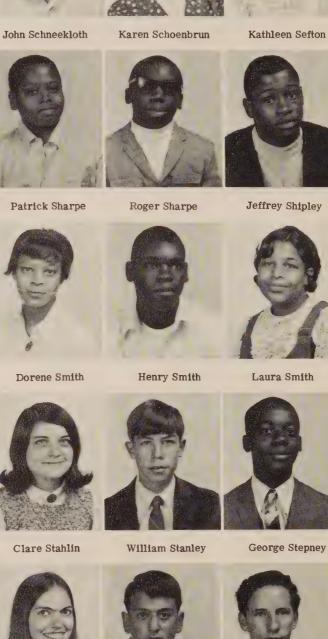


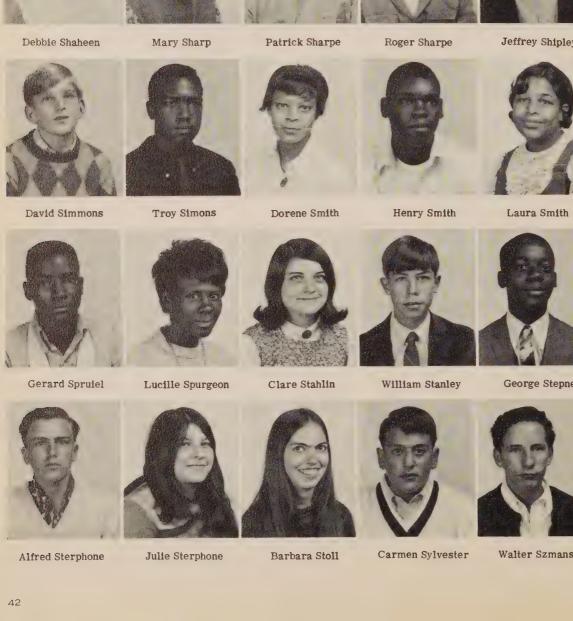






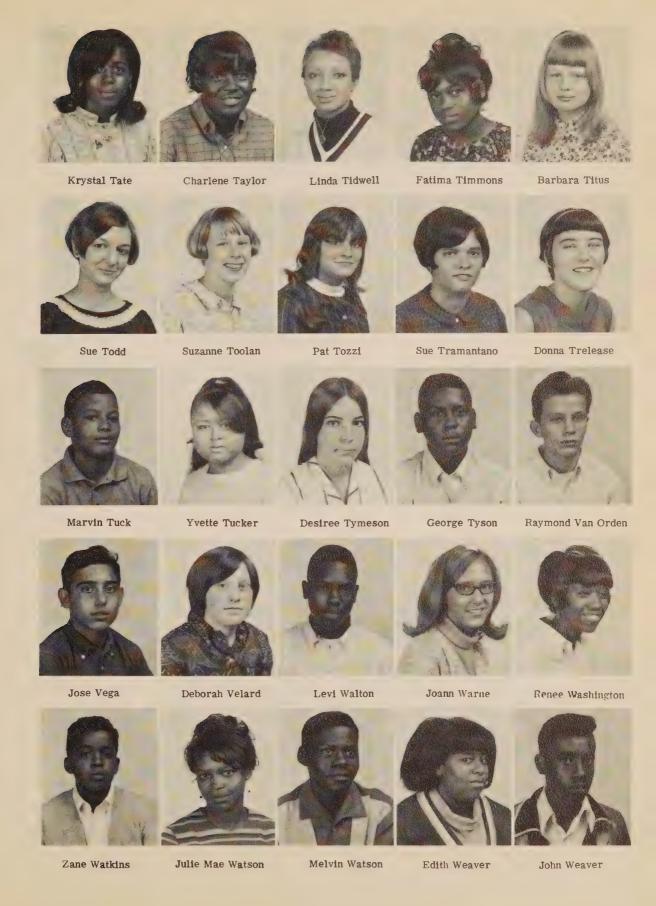


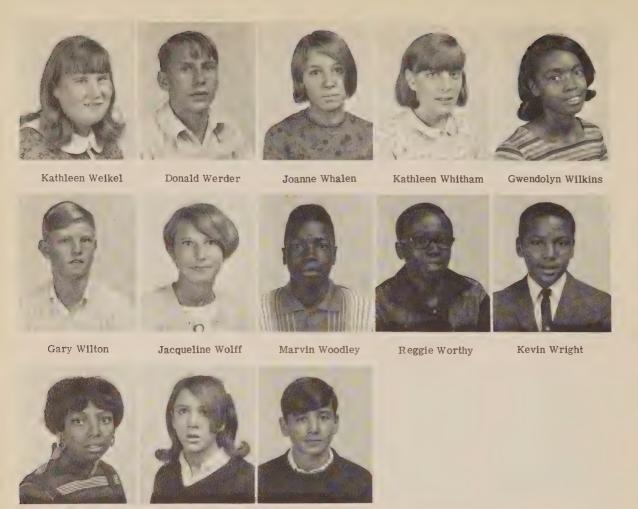






Walter Szmansk





Jeffrey Yamas

Stephanie Wyatt

Jean Yamas





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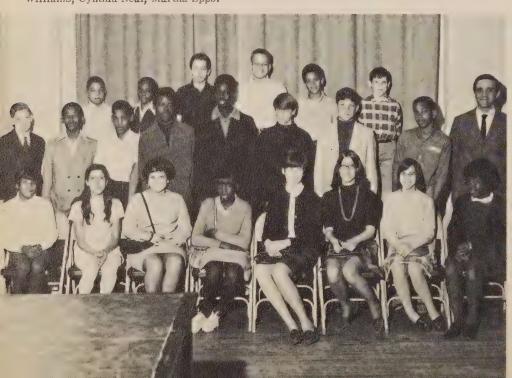


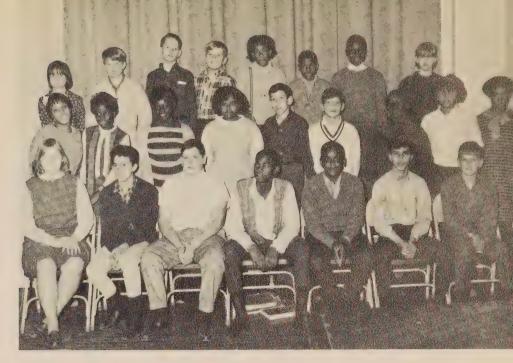
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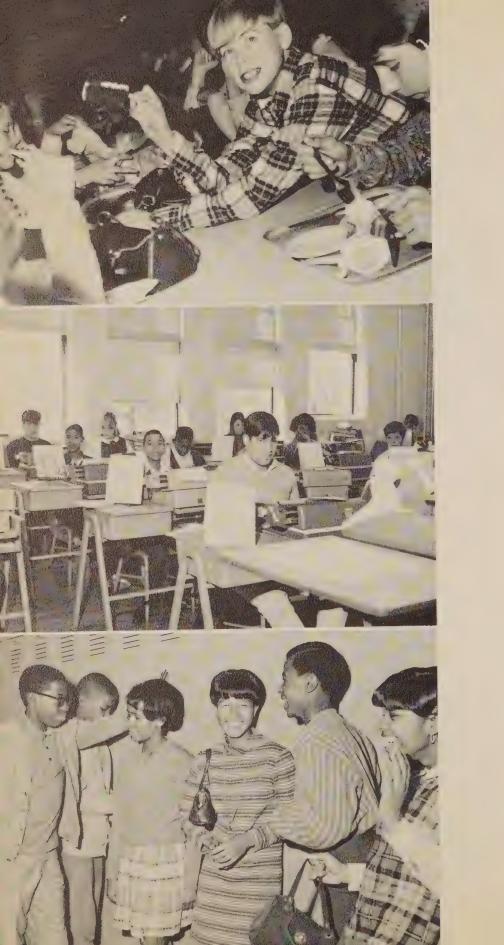


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No matter what "bag" you're in (see page 19 for suggestions), this is a swinging year. 1968 will be remembered for:

mini-skirts

the presidential election

the flower children

Snoopy

controversial topics

long hair

slogan buttons

the Olympics

the beat

and a thousand other things each of us will recall in the years to come.





